*Undetected theft cases in the State.*

38. *MR. T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI (*Tiruvalla III*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of undetected theft cases in the State in 1107, 1108 and 1109 and

(*b*) the total value of the properties involved in the above cases in 1107, 1108 and 1109, respectively?

**RAO BAHADUR N. RAMANUJA AIYANGAR** (*Commissioner of Police*): (*a*) and (*b*). A *statement furnishing the required information is laid on the table.

**MR. T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI** (*Tiruvalla III*): May I know from the member whether Policemen have been posted in any of the places where from these thefts have been committed?

**RAO BAHADUR N. RAMANUJA AIYANGAR** (*Commissioner of Police*): It is not possible to post Policemen in every place where a theft occurs.

**MR. T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI** (*Tiruvalla III*): May I know the circumstances under which a Policeman would be posted in any place?

**RAO BAHADUR N. RAMANUJA AIYANGAR** (*Commissioner of Police*): There is no posting of any man in any particular place except in a town where we have got the point-man.

**MR. T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI** (*Tiruvalla III*): May I know from the member whether additional Policemen have been posted in the Police Commissioner's Bungalow after the occurrence of the recent theft?

**RAO BAHADUR N. RAMANUJA AIYANGAR** (*Commissioner of Police*): There have been no additional men posted, but I have got a couple of men more to be on duty.

**MR. T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI** (*Tiruvalla III*): Was it on account of the recent theft?

**RAO BAHADUR N. RAMANUJA AIYANGAR** (*Commissioner of Police*): Yes.

**MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI** (*Quilon I*): May I know whether those additional men are from the Police force or private men engaged by the Commissioner?

**RAO BAHADUR N. RAMANUJA AIYANGAR** (*Commissioner of Police*): They are men of the Reserve Police.

**MR. K. R. ELENKATH** (*Kalkulam I*): May I know from the member whether there is any area in the State where beat constables do not go?

**RAO BAHADUR N. RAMANUJA AIYANGAR** (*Commissioner of Police*): No; none.

**MR. K. R. ELENKATH** (*Kalkulam I*): May I know whether action has been taken against the beat constables of the places from which these undetected thefts took place?

**RAO BAHADUR N. RAMANUJA AIYANGAR** (*Commissioner of Police*): Yes, they have been taken to task.

*Vide* Appendix VII.

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# Appendix VII.

***Vide* Question No. 38**

Undetected theft cases in the State.

| Year. | Number of cases. (a) | Value of property involved. (b) | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Rs. | Chs. | C. |
| 1107 | 116 | 11,289 | 2 | 11 |
| 1108 | 137 | 11,527 | 13 | 0 |
| 1109 | 110 | 15,752 | 20 | 7 |

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